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Sir:

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION MAILED MAY 15, 2007

This paper is responsive to the Non-final Office Action mailed May 15, 2007. The Examiner has indicated that claims 1,3-18,20, and 26 are pending in the application. Claims

15-18 and 20 have been withdrawn from consideration and claims 1, 3-14, and 26 stand rejected.

The present response includes the following:

Amendments to the Specification: Page 2

Amendments to the Claims: Pages 3 - 10

Amendments to the Abstract: None

Amendments to the Drawings: None

Remarks: Pages 11 - 18

Attachments: None